

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re

Patent Application of

Jie Meng

Application No. 10/567,624

International Application No.
PCT/CN04/00913

International Filing Date: August 6, 2004

Confirmation No. 1276

“MULTI-FUNCTIONAL FITNESS
BICYCLE”

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RESPONSE TO COMMUNICATION REGARDING DECLARATION

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Sir:

This is in response to the Communication dated December 4, 2007.

The Applicant respectfully requests that the Declaration submitted on October 25, 2006 be disregarded. Enclosed is a copy of the new Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by inventor Jie Meng in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) and previously submitted on April 11, 2007.

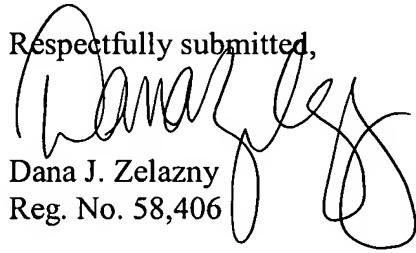
Also enclosed is a statement executed by both of the inventors listed on the Declaration submitted on October 25, 2006. The enclosed statement clarifies that the joint Declaration executed by Jie Meng and Jia Xiang Zhang of October 25, 2006 was submitted in error. This error was due to the differences in meaning and usage of the term "Applicant" in China and the United States.

It is the intention of both Jie Meng and Jia Xiang Zhang that Jie Meng be acknowledged as the sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the

invention identified above. This corresponds to the original PCT application in which Jie Meng was acknowledged as the sole inventor.

The Applicant respectfully requests acceptance of the enclosed Declaration. Charge Deposit Account No. 13-3080 with any fee that may be due in association with this communication.

Respectfully submitted,


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File No. 011462-9003-00

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Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled MUTLI-FUNCTIONAL FITNESS BICYCLE (Attorney Docket No. 011462-9003-00), the specification of which was filed with our authority, on August 6, 2004, as International Application No. PCT/CN2004/000913.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following registered practitioners associated with the customer number identified below to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith; and request that the Office direct all communication in or pertaining to this application to:

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of the foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application		
03273232.5	CN	8 August 2003
03140109.0	CN	8 August 2003
200310125474.0	CN	29 December 2003
200320132169.X	CN	29 December 2003
200420071711.X	CN	20 July 2004
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The undersigned to this Declaration and Power of Attorney hereby authorize the U.S. attorneys named herein to accept and follow instructions from:

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as to any actions to be taken in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office regarding this application without direct communication between the U.S. attorneys and the undersigned. In the event of a change in the person(s) from whom instructions may be taken, the undersigned will so notify the U.S. attorneys.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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Title: MULTI-FUNCTIONAL EXERCISE BICYCLE

This statement is being made to clarify Inventorship of the above identified patent application, and is submitted in response to the Communication dated December 4, 2007 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

We hereby state that the original, first and only inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention identified above is JIE MENG.

A previous Declaration by Jie Meng and Jia Xiang Zhang of joint inventorship was executed and submitted in error. This error was due to the differences in meaning and usage of the term "Applicant" in China and the United States. It is the intention of both Jie Meng and Jia Xiang Zhang that JIE MENG be acknowledged as the sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention identified above.

Jie Meng

Executed on the _____ day of 20____.

Jia Xiang Zhang

Executed on the 10. 09 day of 2007.

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MENG Jie

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Attorney Docket No: 011462-9003-00 (An inquiry concerning this application should be addressed to JIE MENG.)

Title: MULTIFUNCTIONAL EXERCISE BICYCLE

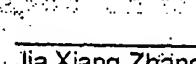
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Jie Meng

Executed on the 12.29 day of 2007.


Jia Xiang Zhang

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